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REF: STATE 96255

A PER REFTEL, LONDON'S 5720 OF APRIL 13, 1976 IS
REPEATED FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

FOR S/P - OFP - PETER LYDON

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: OGEN
SUBJ: CANDIDACY FOR VICE CHAIRPERSON OPEN FORUM

REF: STATE 76982; LONDON 5328

FOLLOWING STATEMENT FORWARDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH POWERS -
LYDON TELCON APRIL 9. 1976:

QUOTE I HAVE BEEN ABROAD AS A CONSULAR OFFICER FOR THE
PAST TEN YEARS. ALTHOUGH I HAVE MAINTAINED AN ACTIVE
INTEREST IN FOREIGN POLICY DURING THAT TIME I HAVE NOT
BEEN ACTIVELY INVOLVED IN MAKING SUCH POLICY. INDEED AT
TIMES I HAVE FOUND IT DIFFICULT TO KEEP MYSELF INFORMED
ON CURRENT DEPARTMENT THINKING.

I THEREFORE BELIEVE THAT IF ELECTED I COULD BRING A FRESH
INTERESTED VIEWPOINT INTO THE OPEN FORUM PROGRAM.

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WITH REFERENCE TO SPECIFIC PROGRAMS I FEEL I WOULD LIKE

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TO LOOK INTO WAYS OF BRINGING CONSULAR OFFICERS INTO THE FOREIGN ARENA AS I FEEL THAT CONSULAR WORK IS AN IMPORTANT ARM OF FOREIGN POLICY.

ADDITIONALLY I AM INTENSELY INTERESTED IN LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN AND WOULD HOPE TO BE ABLE TO WORK ON THOSE AREAS. UNQUOTE.

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